

New York Stock Market

New York, October 17.—Foreign conditions were again factors of primary importance in the local stock market today. Formal declaration of war by Turkey against Bulgaria and Serbia called renewed attention to the tense situation in Eastern Europe, and advances in the British and French discount rates, while not unexpected, served as reminders of impending action as well as current events at important continental centers.

Of Europe's three leading financial institutions, the statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany was far and away the most favorable, disclosing large gains in gold and cash, with a decided contraction of discounts. The British Bank lost more gold, its liability reserves are much under last year's and the 3 per cent discount is the highest in about two years. The Bank of France also lost some gold and increased its discounts by over \$37,000,000.

Firmness prevailed on the Paris bourse, while Berlin was reactionary by reason of the Balkan trouble. Money was dearer in London, as a result of the higher bank rate, and our investors evinced an inclination to sell. Later, however, London turned moderate buyer in this market, again taking Amalgamated Copper and Steel.

Amalgamated Copper was the foremost feature of the market, surpassing all other favorites as to activity and width of movement. The advance in the annual dividend from 4 per cent to 6 per cent became known, but the stock failed to equal its best figure of the morning, while the rest of the list lost none of its early heaviness, in several important instances making lower prices.

The bond market was dull and heavy, total sales, par value, aggregated \$1,400,000. United States bonds unchanged on call.

New York, October 17.—Money on call firm, 4-5-6 per cent; ruling rate, 4-5-6; closing bid, 4-5-6; offered, 4-7-8. Time loans firm, sixty days, 5-1-2 per cent; ninety days, 5-3-4; six months, 5-1-4-5-1-2. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, with actual business, at bankers' bills at \$151.72 for sixty-day bills and at \$148.50 for demand. Commercial bills, \$141-1-2. Bar silver, 61-1-2. Mexican dollars, 18-3-4. Government and railroad bonds steady.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

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RAILROAD BONDS.

Virginia, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Richmond, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Chesapeake, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Atlantic Coast, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Chesapeake and Ohio, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Chesapeake and Potomac, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Chesapeake and Shenandoah, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Chesapeake and Western, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

Chesapeake and York, 4-5-6 and 6-7-8, 100-101 1/2.

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Official Range and Sale of Stocks in New York

BY THOMAS BRANCH & CO., Bankers and Brokers.

Sales.	Stock.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
100	Allis-Chalmers, 2d paid.	100	100	100	100
100	Allis-Chalmers, 1st paid.	100	100	100	100
100	Allis-Chalmers, 3d paid.	100	100	100	100
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100	Allis-Chalmers, 5th paid.	100	100	100	100
100	Allis-Chalmers, 6th paid.	100	100	100	100
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Receipts, 3,900 bales; sales, 600 bales; stock, 13,700 bales; export to Great Britain, 1,200 bales; to the Continent, 1,000 bales; Coastwise, 1,400 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 7,000 bales; export to Great Britain, 1,200 bales; to the Continent, 1,000 bales; Coastwise, 1,400 bales. Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 7,000 bales; export to Great Britain, 1,200 bales; to the Continent, 1,000 bales; Coastwise, 1,400 bales.

New Orleans, October 17.—Cotton futures up and steady at an advance of 1/4 cent on good bales and continued rally in the western half of the cotton belt. Shows were the best buyers in the early trading.

Rumors that fighting was extending in the Balkans checked the advancing tendency around the middle of the morning and caused a little selling. At noon prices were unchanged to 1 point down compared with the closing level of yesterday. In the afternoon the market was easy and dull. Spot cotton, 15-16, off; middling, 19-20, 1/4-1/2.

Sales on the spot 1,255 bales and 1,600 to arrive. Futures closed very steady, unchanged to 1 point down compared with yesterday's closing. October, 15-16; November, 16-17; December, 16-17; January, 16-17; March, 16-17; May, 16-17; July, 16-17.

LOCAL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by Levy Commission Co., Commission Merchants, Richmond, Va., October 17, 1912.)

ACTUAL WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS OF MARKET.

LIVE POULTRY.

Chickens, choice, small, lb. 15 1/2

Chickens, choice, medium, lb. 15 1/2

Chickens, large, lb. 15 1/2

Chickens, small, lb. 15 1/2

Chickens, medium, lb. 15 1/2

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